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MORE INSTRUCTORS FOR THE COLLEGE

S. T. C. FACULTY WILL BE ABOUT 50

NEW DEAN OF WOMEN

Instructor Of Columbia University To Come Here—Other Teachers Are Chosen

Announcement was made today by President Uel W. Lamkin of the Teachers College, of six more new additions to the college faculty. Announcement was made yesterday of five new members. This will make the faculty for the summer session number about fifty. All of the new instructors have done outstanding work in some phase of education and the college is doing well in keeping its summer teaching force up to the high plane maintained throughout the other quarters.

President Lamkin has been especially fortunate in securing an outstanding figure for dean of women. Miss Edith A. Barnard, who has been a member of the faculty of Teachers College, Columbia University, New York City, will be here September 1 to assume the duties as dean of women at the college. This is a new position created at the college, made necessary by the fast growing enrollment. Mrs. A. R. Perrin, who has been connected with the college for years, will continue in the same work which she has so capably conducted since her association with the institution.

Miss Barnard is a graduate of the Ypsilanti, Michigan State Teachers College. She has her A. B. degree from the University of Michigan and her A. M. degree from Teachers College, Columbia University, ...ew York City. She has had teaching experience at the State Normal School, Mount Pleasant, Michigan, was professor of secondary education at Teachers College, Columbia University, and since the death of Doctor Stephens a year ago, has been giving courses for advisors of women at Teachers College.

Miss Barnard had several offers, among them the deanship of women of two large state universities, but elected to come to Maryville. In speaking of her this morning President Lamkin said, "If she isn't equal to any dean of women in the United States, I don't know where you could find one."

Miss Barnard will do some teaching in addition to her other work. She will conduct classes in secondary education and advisory classes for girls of high schools.

In the English department Miss Isabelle Bliss and Marie Estelle Bowman have been secured. Miss Bowman teaches in the Central High School at St. Joseph and was a member of the college faculty here last year. Miss Bliss comes from Tarbolt, Minn., where she has been teaching. She has her master's degree from the University of Chicago.

J. W. Hake will teach physics at the college this summer. He has his A. M. degree from the University of Minnesota and lacks only his thesis for a Ph. D.

James R. Wallin will have classes in economics and sociology this summer. He has his A. B. from the University of Wisconsin. Mr. Wallin lacks only one quarter's work for his doctor's degree.

Miss L. A. Warburton, who will instruct classes in primary education and methods took her master's degree at Teachers College, Columbia University, New York. This year she has been teaching primary methods in the Westchester, Pa., State Normal.

Borgmann Funeral Will be Sunday

Funeral services for Leo Borgman of Clyde, who died Wednesday morning at a hospital in St. Joseph following an operation for appendicitis, will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning at St. Benedict's Church in Clyde. Burial will be in teh cemetery at Old Conception. The Conception Lodge of Knights of Columbus will attend the service in a body.

Motor to Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornell and son, Roland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albright and son, Samuel of Skidmore left today on a motor trip to Oklahoma City, Okla. They will visit at the home of John Q. Vance, brother of Mrs. Cornell and Mrs. Albright, for three weeks.

"Little Mothers' Clubs" Being Organized

Will Be Made Up Of Girls Between 10 and 14 Years Of Age

Miss Margaret Davison and Mrs. Grace Bean, county health nurses, are in Hopkins today organizing a "Little Mothers' Club" there. This is an organization of girls between 10 and 14 years old. The work consists of lectures and demonstrations in regard to infant welfare.

Maryville has already organized a club of about twenty members. It will meet in the clinic room of the Nodaway County Health Department. The work will be under the direction of Mrs. Grace Bean.

The work will be carried on in conjunction with the clinics throughout the County, and will be given in all communities that desire to form an organization of this type.

A "Better Babies Week" will be held in Maryville during the month of June. A definite date will be announced later.

LAFOLLETTE LEADS RAIL RATE FIGHT

HEADS CHICAGO MEETING TODAY IN PUBLIC'S INTEREST.

A FIGHT ON VALUATION

Difference of 10 Billion Dollars Exist in Rail Values—Half Billion in Rates at Stake.

Chicago, May 25—Senators, congressmen, governors, mayors, heads of railroad labor and farm organizations, with a sprinkling of ordinary folk, met here today in a conference, presided over by Senator Robert M. Lafollete of Wisconsin, for the purpose of organizing the public's interest before the Interstate Commerce Commission to fight the excessive transportation rates, based, it is held, upon fictitious valuations.

The conference grew out of the move started by the Progressive group on transportation in Congress, which asserts that the people will be relieved of 500 million dollars annually if the public's interest is not adequately represented at the coming valuation conference of the railroads in accordance with the senate resolution.

There exists at present a difference of 10 billions of dollars in valuations submitted by the public representatives and those advanced roads, which would mean a difference in transportation rates annually of half a billion dollars, it was said.

County Nurse Made Member of V. F. W.

Miss Margaret Davison Was Initiated Last Night—Poppies Are Here

Miss Margaret Davison, the first woman to be initiated a member of the local V. F. W., was taken into the local organization last night. Miss Davison served for two years over seas, and was made an honorary member of the post here.

George Liston and M. V. Sims were made active members of the local club.

Roy Mays was appointed to take charge of the firing squad for the Decoration Day services.

The poppies, which solicitors will sell on the streets tomorrow, Monday and Tuesday, have arrived and will be ready to distribute early tomorrow morning. The proceeds of the sale will go to aid disabled veterans of the World War.

Wabash Official Is in Maryville Today

H. O. Kelly, an official of the Wabash Railroad, is in town today conferring with Mayor W. O. Garrett in regard to the sewer near the Wabash bridge in the north part of town.

It was not known at a late hour this afternoon what settlement of the matter has been made.

Consider Sterner Chinese Measures

Peking, May 25.—There were indications today that the patience of foreign diplomatic bodies has become exhausted at the delay and duplicity of Chinese officialdom, and that strong measures than heretofore have been used are under consideration to secure the release of the foreigners held captive by the Shantung bandits.

CLASS PLAY WAS WELL PRESENTED

LARGE CROWD SEES DRAMATIZATION OF "LITTLE WOMEN"

COMMENCEMENT TONIGHT

The Reverend Joseph Cooper Will Deliver Class Address—Dr. Keller To Present Diplomas

The senior class play, "Little Women," was presented at the college auditorium last night. A large crowd attended the play, the auditorium being filled to capacity. The play was very well presented, and was well received by the audience.

All of the people that attended the play commented on its excellent presentation. The acting, for high school students, was very good. Probably, Margaret Louise Hosmer, playing the part of Jo was the star. Others that were especially good were, Alyce Allen as Mrs. Marsh, Harold Moore as Laurie, and Milo Vickery as Professor Bhaer. However, all of the acting was very good.

The drama was based on the book, by Louisa Alcott. It was arranged by Marion DeForest, Miss Laura Hawkins, and Miss Alma Lucas idrected the play. They deserve much credit, for their coaching of the students. The costumes were also exceptional. The play was supposed to have taken place during the civil war period, and all of the costumes were truly characteristic of the period.

After the play, the entire senior class assembled on the stage and sang the class song. Before the song was sung, Catherine Remus, the vice president of the class, and also the valedictorian, presented the class gift to the high school. The gift is to be a fifty foot flag pole, to be set in front of the school building. A flag is to be given, with the pole. Mr. Ziegler accepted the gift for the school.

The high school orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Schnabel, furnished music before the play, and between acts.

The commencement program will be given tonight at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. The Rev. Joseph Cooper will deliver the class address to the graduates. The following is the program to be given:

Invocation.

Valedictory—Catherine Remus.

Class address—The Rev. Joseph Cooper.

Presentation of class—L. L. St. Clair, Principal.

Presentation of diplomas—Dr. Fred Keller.

Awarding of honors—L. E. Ziegler, Superintendent.

Following are the names of those who will be graduated:

Elva Aley, Alyce Allen, Blanche Anderson, Mildred Bailey, Olivette Barrow, Marguerite Bluel, Helen Bolin, Arville Campbell, Alice Cary, Mary Coe, Roberta Cook, Mary Crawford, Mary Curl, Pearl DeNeen, Dorothy England, Emma England, Minnie Evans, Lorena Gault, Roine Hanna, Lois Hartman, Cleo Holt, Mary Holt, Margaret Louise Hosmer, Lota Claire Landfather, Loretta Jones, Myrle Lyle, Helen Leamer, Georgio Lund, Katherine McMillan, Margaret McMurry, Garland Montgomery, Iva Mounts, Hope Moore, Sarah Moore, Beulah Mutz, Zelma Neal, Louise Peery, Norma Randall, Catherine Remus, Valta Ringgold, Dorothea Snodderly, Lyrrel Stafford, Laura Trullinger, Dorothy White, Hettie Mae Woodward, Mildred Wray, Mattie Wyatt, Richard Baker, Carroll Belt, Ned Colbert, Floyd Cook, Chester Davison, Forest Froman, Marion Gile, John Givens, Joseph Graves, Arthur Hartman, Roland Holloway, Leroy Jones, Forest Martin, Oren Masters, Harold Moore, Robert Mountjoy, Harold O'Banion, John Smith, Fred Street, Milo Vickery, and Donald Williams.

Special Grand Jury to Probe N. Y. Murder

Albany ,N .Y., May 25—Attorney General Caratherman today made formal recommendation to Governor Smith for appointment of an extra term of the Supreme Court with grand jury to which will be submitted the investigation of the killing of Claude Peters by Harry Ward. Governor Smith will name the Supreme Court justice to direct the deliberation of this special grand jury within the next few days.

Cooper Dated for 2 Memorial Addresses

The Rev. J. A. Cooper will deliver the Decoration Day address at Parnell at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The services will be held in the Methodist Church there. The decoration of graves will follow immediately after the services.

The Reverend Mr. Cooper will speak at Ravenwood at the Memorial Day service there next Wednesday. A short program will be given in the auditorium of the school building, under the auspices of the American Legion and Auxiliary.

BALDWIN COMPLETED HIS TORY CABINET

NO RADICAL CHANGES IN NEW BRITISH BODY.

CURZON AND CECIL STAY

Premier Baldwin Is Friendly to U. S. Government—Will Be Leader in House of Commons.

London, May 25—Premier Stanley Baldwin wil lretain his old portfolio as chancellor of exchequer of the new government, it was officially announced tonight. He will also act as the government's leader in the House of Commons.

Lord Robert Cecil has accepted the past as Lord of Privy Seal. There will be no further major changes. Lord Curzon will continue as foreign secretary and Lord Derby as secretary of state for war. The new government is now compelted.

Lonodn, May 25—Premier Stanley Baldwin's Tory government today made it plain that its attitude towards the United States is going to be one of great friendliness.

It was learned at a cabinet council that the government had turned down the demand of the Tory extremists that a stiff protest be sent to Washington against the American Supreme Court decision barring ships of any nationality from entering the American ports with liquor aboard. The government will content itself with informal representation through the British embassy at Washington.

The new cabinet was not completed this morning but Premier Baldwin is hopeful that he can submit a complete list of portfolios to King George by night.

Legion Schedules Wrestling Match

Indian Lou Imm of St. Joseph Will Meet Mervin Barrackman Monday, June 4.

The James Edward Gray Post of the American Legion has scheduled another wrestling match, to be staged at the College gymnasium Monday night, June 4.

Indian Lou Imm of St. Joseph has been signed to meet Mervin H. Barrackman of Sheridan in a finish match. Imm is a light heavyweight, weighing 172 pounds; Barrackman's wrestling weight is 160 pounds.

Imm has only lost two matches in two years. Harley Schaeffer of Osceola, Kan., and Roey Chick of Savannah were the victors in these two contests. In one of these, Imm had leg cramps after an hour and a half of wrestling and had to give up, but he was not thrown.

In a statement issued this morning, the American Legion guarantees to the public that this will be a "best man wins" match, and absolutely on the square. The local managers of the bout will refund money at the door to any person not satisfied with the match. The local post has a written agreement with Imm that if the Maryville fans are not satisfied with his efforts, his share of the proceeds shall go to some charity organization here. The "Indian" has wrestled in St. Joseph at the Swift Club and also under the auspices of the Donald Duncan Post of the American Legion there. He is a former service man, having served in the tank corps during the World War.

Barrackman is well known here. He has had a number of matches in Sheridan and several days ago appeared at the College gymnasium where he obtained two straight falls over Johnnie Bass. Barrackman is managed by the local post.

The managers of the Barrackman-Imm match are also working on two good preliminaries to the man contest.

MO. CLUB WOMEN MAY MEET HERE

20th CENTURY CLUB INVITES STATE FEDERATION

WOULD USE THE COLLEGE

President Lamkin Offers Use Of Auditorium and Residence Hall—Activities

Maryville will be a strong contender for the 1925 meeting of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs. No meeting place was selected at the tenth biennial of the State Federation last week at Joplin. At the last meeting of the season of the Twentieth Century Club yesterday afternoon at the Elks Club the members voted to extend an invitation to the State Federation to hold its next biennial in Maryville. Uel W. Lamkin, president of the State Teachers College, has offered the use of Residence Hall, where 150 or 200 delegates could be entertained for a nominal sum, if the state federation could arrange to hold the meeting during the week's vacation following the spring semester of the College. The College auditorium will also be placed at the disposal of the club women for the general meetings.

Mrs. Dan R. Baker and Mrs. C. F. Remus, retiring president and first vice president, presided at the short business meeting of the executive board. Mrs. Charles S. Jackson and Miss Mae Corwin were re-instated as members and Mrs. Ed Hamlin, Mrs. J. P. Price, Mrs. Jesse Watt and Miss Bertha Anderson were elected to membership.

Greater Mo. Paper

Mrs. Ed G. Orear read the paper on the "Greater Missouri Association," which George A. Pickens, acting general secretary, presented before the convention at Joplin. The club voted to take out a $10 membership in the association and has the distinction of being the first woman's club in the state to join the association. The club also voted to set aside $50 for the building fund and $100 had already been applied to the fund this year.

Miss Ora Barmann, the new president, will attend the first district convention to be held the first week in June at Albany, by virtue of her office, and other delegates elected were Mrs. Byron Costello, Mrs. Dan R. Baker and Mrs. M. A. Peery. A vote of thanks was extended to President Lamkin and the College faculty for their assistance and many courtesies during the year. The Twentieth Century Club holds the record of having accomplished the best work in the state in fine arts, and Nodaway County has formed the first county federation in Missouri. The club finished payment on $100 to the endowment fund of the State Federation, the interest from which is used to defray traveling expenses of the state presidents.

150 Members Now

The club's membership now numbers 150, forty-six new members having been received during the year. Four papers from the various departments will be sent to the reciprocity bureau.

The new officers, escorted to the platform by Mrs. M. A. Peery and Mrs. Ed G. Orear as guards, were installed. They are Miss Ora Barmann, president; Mrs. C. C. Leeson, first vice-president; Mrs. Burt W. Loomis, second vice-president; Mrs. J. C. White, third vice-president; Mrs. L. M. Eck, secretary; Mrs. Bert Cooper, corresponding secretary; Mrs. D. E. Hotchkin, treasurer; Mrs. J. M. Nixson, custodian; and Mrs. Fred Curfman, auditor.

Committees Appointed

Miss Barmann then took the chair and announced the following committees for the ensuing year: Year Book, Mrs. Ed G. Orear and Miss Grace Langan; house, Mrs. F. S. King, Miss Mary MacLeod and Mrs. Emery Airy; membership, Mrs. C. D. Bellows, Mrs. Marve Curnutt and Mrs. Frank Cummins; flower, Mrs. M. A. Peery, Mrs. F. E. James and Mrs. Brint Embree; publicity, Mrs. J. F. Hull, Miss Orril Helwig and Mrs. Blaine Archer; courtesy, Mrs. E. W. Gray, Mrs. C. F. Remus and Mrs. Harry Hudson; budget, Mrs. Dan Baker and Mrs. E. C. Curfman and club programs, Mrs. W. C. Pierce, Mrs. C. C. Hellmers and Mrs. Earl Braniger.

Mrs. F. S. King presented the matter of a community forest and the club voted to accept her suggestion and a committee will be appointed soon. It was also decided to continue the luncheons next year. Guests at the meet

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Carthage Narrowly Escapes Bad Flood

Nine Inches Of Rain Fell There and Water Stood Five Feet In Part Of the City

Carthage, Mo., May 25—Cessation of rain which fell here for several hours and recession of flood waters, which last night made homeless about forty families, today saved this city from what threatened to be a most disastrous flood.

The damage in this city was estimated at $100,000 and about $50,000 additional damage was done in the surrounding territory. Nine inches of rain fell here, flooding the Spring River and a branch, called Carter Creek, forcing them out of their banks. A few homes in the lowlands were swept from their foundations and several families were forced to leave their homes when the water stood at five feet in one section of the town. Most of the people returned to their water soaked homes today while those, whose homes were washed away were being cared for by neighbors.

"IRRECONCIABLES" WILL FIGHT COURT

"BEST MINDS" AMONG THEM DRAFT BATTLE PLANS.

CLAIM 30 SUPPORTERS

Anti-League Senators Quietly Working to Defeat Harding Proposal in the Senate.

Washington, May 25. — Adopting President Harding's own political tactics, Republican "Irreconciable" leaders are holding a series of conferences here with the "best minds," of their own ranks to draft battle plans against the administration's world court proposal, it was learned today.

While those Republican "best minds" friendly to the court are visiting the White House to advise the President, a rival group is conferring almost daily with Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Republican of Massachusetts, and Senator Frank B. Brandegee, Republican of Connecticut, leaders of the opposition.

As a result of these unheralded sessions, the "Irreconciables" are reported to be confident of victory of defeating the world court proposal if it is ever brought to vote in the Senate.

Twenty-four senators now are listed in the "Irreconciable" camp and ten of these were said to have been won over as a result of the "best minds" conferences at Senator Lodge's home. The anti-court people claim a total of thirty votes up to date, with five Democratic senators. The "Irreconciables" are concentrating on winning more votes before December and the field is wide open for a dozen or more senators are classed as doubtful.

Memorial Services at Presbyterian Church

"Minute Men of Today" is the subject announced for the sermon on Memorial Day Sunday at the Presbyterian Church, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning. The text is, "Moses, my servant is dead. Now, therefore, arise. As a Memorial Day solo, L. A. Richman, the choir director will sing the war poem, "There is no death," by O'Hara.

It is planned to have the church decorated to carry out the Memorial Day idea.

The evening service, beginning at 8 o'clock, will begin with a musical half-hour. The following numbers have been announced by the choir director:

Anthem, "Abide With Me"—Choir. choir.

Solo—Mr. Emery Airy.

Hymn Anthem, "A Mighty Fortress."

"Who Jesus Christ Is" will be the subject for the twenty minute sermon For the Spring and early Summer weeks, the Sunday evening sermons are on the general subject, "What it means to be a Christian." On account of the baccalaureate sermon of the College graduating class, there will be no evening sermon on Sunday, June 3, at the Presbyterian Church.

To Attend School Here.

Opal Ingram, Zora Seyster and Wilbur Cox, who were graduated from the Parnell High School last week, will attend the summer term of the state Teachers College.

SITUATION IN NEAR EAST IS CRITICAL

WAR THREATENED BETWEEN GREECE AND TURKEY

WAR OR PEACE AT ONCE

Better To Have One Immediately Says Pasha—Excitement Over Bridge Burning

Constantinople, May 25—The near East situation was critical today with the continued threat of war between Greece and Turkey. The menace has been aggravated by the ultimatum of the Athens government demanding that the Turks at Lausanne renounce all claims to war indemnities by tomorrow night.

This city is rife with wild rumors. One was that the Greek fleet was massing off Dardanelles, but this was denied by the British and French commanders. It was added that British warships were coming to Dardanelles.

Evidence of the tension was shown by the public statement issued by Rsat Pasha, commander of the Turkish troops in Thrace, which said, "Better have war or peace at once with no further delay."

Public excitement was heightened by news of the blowing up of the bridge over the Maritza River connecting Adrianople with Karagatch. The Maritza River forms the Turko-Greek boundary line in Thrace, the Turks having Adrianople and the Greeks, Karagatch. The Greeks charge that the Turks blew up the bridge to several communications. The Turks declare that the structure was struck by lightning.

Memorial Sermon by Dr. C. C. James

G. A. R. Will Attend In Body At First M. E. Church Sunday—43 Members Living

Memorial Day services for Sunday will be held at the First M. E. Church at 10:45 o'clock. The sermon will be preached by Dr. C. C. James. At 10 o'clock, the veterans will assemble at the post room and attend the services in a body. The Ladies Auxiliary and W. R. C. will assemble at the church.

The membership of the local G. A. R. post has gradually dwindled until now there are only forty-three members living. Each year several of the veterans make their last stand and "taps" is sounded for the final sleep.

The following is a complete list of all living members of the local G. A. R:

Ira K. Alderman, M. V. Baker, J. R. Croy, W. Y. Cox, Daniel Cook, W. G. Craig, Caleb Brogan, Jacob L. Charles, George Davis, Riley Daken, J. D. Dickerson, Elrod Fakes, John G. Grems, M. Goodson, Alexander Gray, Charles Hyslop, John W. Herren, J. T. Hayes, Abijah Howard, George Ingerson, W. L. Johnson, Jacob Morrison, Steve Martin, William Mozingo, G. W. Null, T. Y. Neal, J. E. O'Neal, James Pixler, T. J. Puckett, N. Sisson, Richard Snyder, William X. Smith, David Stewart, A. R. Souers, H. W. Smith, J. H. Saylor, A. F. Stitt, Jerry Jones, Sanford Leach, James M. Willis, J. L. Woodard, William Wood and George Warheim.

Since the organization of the local G. A. R. post, August 1882, 435 veterans have been mustered in. On May 30, 240 graves will be decorated.

T2 Hops Off for Trip to Washington, D. C.

San Diego, May 25.—Lieuts. MacReady and Kelly took off from Rockwell Field here today in the T2 enroute for Washington, D. C., where the famous army airplane will be an attraction at the national Shriners' convention. The 750-gallon capacity tank in the T2 was only partially filled so the big plane rose easily from the ground.

Several Suits Filed Today

A petition of divorce was filed this afternoon in the Circuit Court, with Lillie Daniels as plaintiff and Jesse F. Daniels as defendant.

Back tax suits were filed against James A. Middleton, et al, Atwell Butler, et al, and John M. Busby.

THE WEATHER.

Showers probable tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Forumettes

You may go this old
World around and you
Will never find a
Friend without faults.

Just call any Maryville loafer lazy and see how mad he gets.

The greatest burden the white man bears is his own weight.

A lot of Maryville men whose thoughts should be turning to lawn mowers are turning to golf.

Woman has the power of making a man the happiest person in the world or the most miserable, a bachelor remarked to us.

It will be only a question of time until every pedestrian will have a car or a harp.

What has happened to the old time clothing merchant who used to throw in an extra pair of trousers, a pair of suspenders and a necktie? Echo answers "Gone for ever."

Uncle Abner the town philosopher, says humanity is saved a lot of misfortunes by not taking much of the free advice seriously.

Styles may come and styles may go but the general character and color in posters seen on the billboards every year are the same as they were in grandfather's day.

Government report says materials manufactured for use in women's clothing have doubled in volume in the last two years. You would never believe it to watch the passing show along Main street any day.

We read the other day that the square dance was coming back. You can bet some one has found out how to suit it to jazz.

You can always flatter a man's vanity by asking him for his advice on any subject.

Louise, the stenographer, says more people are silent because they can't say anything than because they have wise heads.

Suggestion for punishment of auto law violators: Send them to jail for ten days and compell them to read 'Pilgrims' Progress.'

Vagrant Musings

We bet there are some bakers who are mad because they can't charge for the hole in the doughnut.

"I intend to do it" is one of the most common meaningless expressions.

Wonder how many people would be interested in reforms if the financial backing was removed.

It is not wise to live beyond the sum you can borrow.

It impresses us that the cigar counter and the back fence run about neck and neck in the question of passing gossip.

Today's Vaudeville Patter

Biff—I want to tell you my side of the controversy.

Bang—I thought you had already told me.

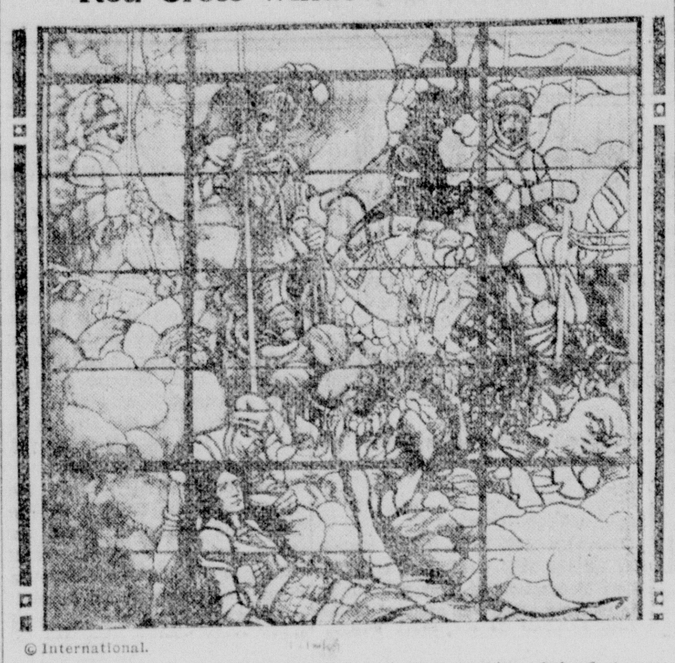
Biff—Gosh! so I did, but it won't hurt to go over it again.

LADIES' AUXILIARY
of the Seth Ray David Post

will meet at the basement of the First M. E. Church, Sunday, May 27, 10:30 a. m., to attend Memorial services.

Wear a poppy.

Red Cross Window Is Dedicated



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On May 18 the twenty-fourth anniversary of the opening of the first peace conference at The Hague, the Woman's Relief corps of the G. A. R., and the United Daughters of the Confederacy joined hands for the first time in history and together unveiled the central panel of the famous stained glass window in the assembly hall of the American Red Cross national headquarters in Washington. This panel, in beautiful colors, represents Red Cross knights rendering assistance to a fallen comrade. The windows were provided by the donations of the joint organizations, their individual panels having previously been dedicated at separate ceremonies. The central panel is pictured above.

OLD FIDDLERS OFF FOR STATE HONORS

ANNUAL EVENT NOW IN PROGRESS AT PARIS, MO

MANY FAMILIAR AIRS

Old Timers From All Over the State From 90 Years Down. "Fiddle" Old-time Songs

Paris, Mo., May 25—More than a score of fiddlers, including one woman, fiddled and patter here for the state fiddling championship.

The event attracted more attention than a circus.

"The first one on the program was J. W. Kemp of Mexico, who played 'Go to the Devil,' and 'Shake Yourself,'" S. R. Major, official announcer told the crowd in the opera house as he started the contest for men more than 65 years old.

"That's the tune," shouted Kemp, stepping lively towards a seat at the front of the stage.

"Go to it," said Major, and the sawing began. The fiddlers rocked and patted as they went through their repertoire of old fashioned tunes. The crowd warmed, the grey bearded spectators in the front row joining in the patting of feet. Words of encouragement poured from the audience.

And the old fiddlers drew from the strings the pathos and tragedy in all nine lives of the cats that had been sacrificed on harmony's altar. In the old men's contest the first prize of $10 went to William Stalcup of Clarence, 65 years old.

A Playmate of Mark Twain

And second prize, $5, went to John Lewellen of Florida, Monroe County, 71 years old, a playmate of Mark Twain, so the announcer declared.

Stalcup captured the honors in the old men's contest largely by his playing of "Leather Breeches" with these words:

Leather breeches, leather breeches,
Mammy sewed the buttons on,
Daddy kicked me out of bed, because
I had my breeches on.

Lewellen apparently had many supporters in the audience. He was hailed with handclapping and cheers. Lewellen stripped off his coat and sailed into the fray. He played with his left hand and, as he yanked the bow over the fiddle strings, he closed his eyes and rocked himself into the land of melody. Lewellen struck a popular response with his first selection, "Arkansas Traveler:"

Drive up the bell cow, catch her by the tail,
Hold her by the horns while I milk her in the pail.

The Florida fiddler also played the ever popular "Turkey in the Straw." Went out to milk, didn't know; milked a goat instead of a cow.

Entrants From Far and Wide

The state fiddlin' contest attracted entrants from all parts of central and southern Missouri.

Mrs. Lem Waterman, twice champion of Laclede County traveled two days to reach here. She was accompanied by her husband, a Baptist minister and her young son.

The old man's contest this afternoon was followed by the state championship contest for all comers tonight. Mayor Kiel of St. Louis and Mayor Cromwell of Kansas City acted as judges at the second contest.

The fiddlers began arriving here two days ago. They have been making nights hideous for the sleepy guests in the hotel. They have practiced before crowds in the barber shop.

Although this community prides itself on being a center of culture and education, all classes appear to enjoy the "hoe down" melody.

Paul Nipps, in charge of ceremonies, said the crowd was better than expected, although rain fell during most of the afternoon.

Stalcup, winner of the old men's contest, was Shelby County champion in 1922.

In the struggle for the state fiddlin' honors, the people here today heard many old jig tunes famous fifty years ago in backwoods Missouri, before the advent of the shimmie and the Egyptian Tut Tut.

The fiddlers played for example: "Lost Indian," "Little Brown Jug," "Houn' Dog Blues," "Hill Billy Bill," "Jimmie are You There?" "Money Musk," "Buffalo Girl," "Unlucky Dog," "Irish Washerwoman," "Gray Eagle," "Get Up and Go."

Fiddler Not a Violinist.

In describing the difference between a fiddler and a violin player, Jack Blanton of this city had the following to say in the Monroe County Appeal: "A violinist is one who plays by note and restrains the foot from keeping time, while the fiddler is one who plays by ear and pats his foot during the process."

The horse editor of the Appeal had a lot of high faultin' language to describe the difference between the two, including an elucidation on lye hominy, corn pone, venison and lastly the absence among later day artists of corn whisky. Booze drinking was considered in good form when fiddlin' was in its prime.

But to understand just the difference between a violin and a fiddle one must witness a real honest-to-goodness sawing and patting match, such as Paris saw yesterday.

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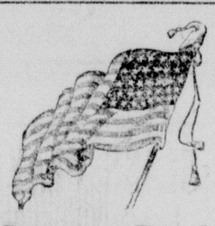

Shall This Government Live or Die?

Until the people have, by some solemn and authoritative act, annulled or changed the established form, it is binding upon themselves collectively, as well as individually; and no presumption, or even knowledge of their sentiments, can warrant their representatives in a departure from it, prior to such an act.—Alexander Hamilton, The Federalist, No. LXXVIII.

XLI.

Federalism's Last Stand in the Hartford Convention.

Nathaniel Gorham of Massachusetts expressed the fear in the constitutional convention that it would be the unequal size of the states that would prove the obstacle to the successful working of the federal system. He made the novel proposal that the large states should be cut up in a manner to make all as nearly possible of equal size.

But experience soon showed the danger to the Constitution was not in a tendency of the larger states to encroach on the smaller ones, but in the tendency of states, whether large or small, to combine against the general government.

Combinations made for sectionalism, and sectionalism was destined to prove the greatest enemy to nationism this country was to know. There can be only one greater enemy to nationalism, and that is classism.

From the beginning of the government down to the Civil War it was the combinations of states with interests they conceived to be apart from others that retarded the growth of nationality and threatened the perpetuity of the Union.

Jefferson's embargo act of 1807, conceived as a retaliatory measure against Britain and France, which now were at war and preying on our shipping, was a heavy blow to New England commerce. In those days as in these men wanted to make money out of war, and they were ready to submit to any national humiliation to make it. They didn't care how much the belligerents interfered with our rights upon the sea. What the New England shippers wanted was to sell cargoes abroad, and they preferred the risk of capture to American ships to the greater risk of defending them with the national arm.

This nation now has learned that the way to protect our commerce and maintain our rights upon the seas, is not to keep our ships in port, but to maintain a navy able to punish any power that dares to interfere with them.

Aside from that lesson the wisdom of the embargo measure need not concern us any more than that of the tariff act of 1828 against which South Carolina passed its nullification law; but as again showing the sectionalism of the country and its total lack of national mindedness, we have to record the action taken in New England as a result of the embargo and of the second war with Britain of which it was the precursor.

The New England states, injured in a local interest, combined, became narrowly sectional and in their opposition to the administration were hurried to the verge of disunion. The "Essex Junta," so-called from the name of the Massachusetts county in which Pickering lived, took the lead in this combination. The junta was believed to be the head and front of the Federalist irreconcilables who were known as the British faction. When Jefferson was elected the Republicans had sung:

The Federalists are down at last,
The Monarchists completely cast.
The Aristocrats are stripped of power
Storms o'er the British faction lower.
Soon we Republicans shall see
Columbia's sons from bondage free.
Lord, how the Federalists will stare—
At Jefferson in Adams's chair!

In 1808 the Massachusetts legislature committed the political sabotage of adjourning without providing for the choice of presidential electors. A year later this body resolved that national laws to enforce the embargo were not legally binding on that state. Senator Pickering declared the states must judge for themselves what acts of the general government were "usurpations" to be negatived by the legislature. This was, in effect, the language of the Kentucky resolutions. In Connecticut, Governor Trumbull sent a message to the legislature recommending action to protect the people of that state against the "assumed powers" of the general government.

When the Madison administration was forced into war with Britain this New England sectionalism maintained its front. Those states refused to place their militia under the federal authority or to allow them to pass beyond the state boundaries. When, for such refusal, a prosecution for treason was proposed in congress against the governor of Vermont, the legislature of Massachusetts came to his support. In Connecticut an expedition of Decatur against a British blockading squadron at New London was frustrated by mysterious blue signal lights, flashed at points on the coast, giving the enemy warning. Their origin was never ascertained, but the name "Blue Light Federalists" long clung to the party in that state. When James Lawrence, the gallant commander of the Chesapeake, was killed in the action with the Shannon, Massachusetts refused him funeral honors, and a committee of the legislature adopted a resolution condemning the war and declaring "it was not becoming a moral and religious people to express any approbation of military and naval exploits not immediately connected with the defense of our sea coast and soil."

New England sectionalism led inevitably to the Hartford convention. This gathering, called by the Massachusetts legislature, numbered delegates from Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Vermont. It sat three weeks in the winter of 1814-15, and deliberated in secret. When it adjourned it was with the expectation of reassembling but events ended any hopes of a New England confederacy.

In this secret Sanhedrin of federalism, American nationalism was quietly smothered under a bolster of constitutional interpretation. The states were to have their own armies and their own say as to when and for what purposes they should be used. The general government was to be deprived of all power to draft citizens for military service. The power of congress to declare war was to be restricted. The commerce clause of the Constitution was to become a dead letter. No new states were to be admitted unless New England liked their looks.

George Cabot was the chief delegate of Massachusetts to this convention, and on him and the convention itself indignant John Adams, in the name of whose party these proceedings were taken, probably pronounced correct judgment when he exclaimed, "Thank God! George Cabot's close buttoned ambition has broken out at last; he wants to be President of New England, Sir!"

New England federalism made its last stand in the Hartford convention, and from that intrenchment it was blown out by the blast of Andrew Jackson's guns at New Orleans.

(To be continued in The Democrat-Forum tomorrow).

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Geo. A. Pickens to Speak at Savannah

George A. Pickens, who is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Maryville and who is also secretary to the Missouri Association for the State of Missouri, will be in Savannah in the evening of June 12, and will give the address at the regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Savannah Commercial Club. The dinner will be at 7 o'clock with everybody invited and the place will be announced later.

Mr. Pickens is one of Missouri's able speakers. The Maryville Chamber of Commerce has accomplished many things and he will indeed be wise council for every one of Savannah's 150 members.—Savannah Reporter.

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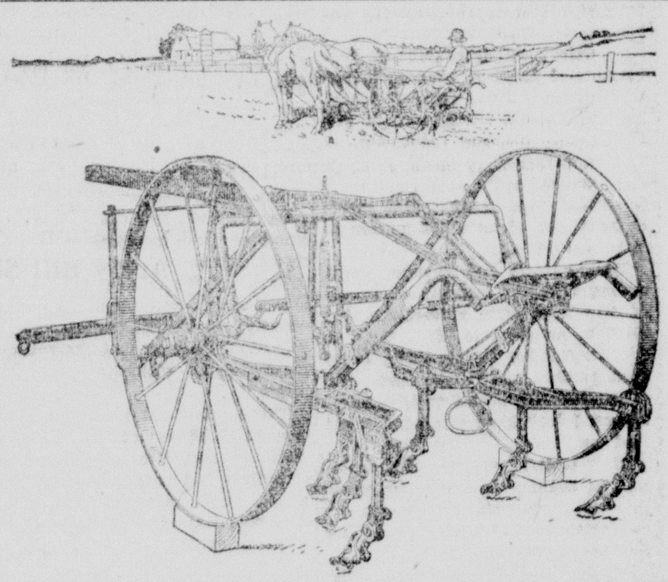

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Notice

Will the families of all deceased members of Modern Woodmen of America buried in Maryville or vicinity send to me the place of burial for the purpose of decorating their graves on Woodman Memorial Day, June 3, 1923.

H. S. HOLT, Clerk.

Camp No. 2052.

Society

King's Herald Band

The King's Herald Band of the First Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon with Helen Gaugh and Walter Wade at the home of the former, 417 South Main street.

Eastern Star Chapter

The Eastern Star Chapter will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in I. O. O. F. Hall. Visiting members always welcome.

Mrs. J. C. White, worthy matron.

Parties at Wadley Home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley entertained the members of the Fortnightly Bridge Club, their husbands and a few other guests at bridge last night at their home on South Buchanan street. Mrs. Wadley entertained with a small bridge this afternoon. Mrs. Ike Thomas Pryor of Fort Stockton, Texas, was an out-of-town guest.

Announce Daughter's Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire of Maryville announce the marriage of their daughter, Elsie M., to Mr. Henry C. Parkins of Johnstown, Colo. The wedding took place March 5 in Denver, the Rev. Mr. Gravett officiating. Mrs. Parkins has been teaching for the last two years at Milliken, Colo. Mr. Parkins is at present employed at Johnston where the couple will be at home to their friends after July 1.

Surprise Birthday Dinner

A number of friends and neighbors gave a surprise basket dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan, near Clearmont, the occasion being Mr. Sloan's fifty-second birthday. A feature of the dinner was a birthday cake holding fifty-two candles. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dale, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Will Calfee, Mrs. Sarah Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Huse Honaker, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sloan, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen of Moberly, Misses Zella and Clara Hamilton and Anna May Dale, Roberta, Velma and Mary Calfee, Lulu Andrews, Nevella and Sarah Louise Honaker, Lora Pauline, Ruth, Ruby and Mary Sloan, J. T., Clifford, Willard and Lewis Hamilton, Ermil and Leslie Andrews, Willis Ervin Wendall, Paul Calfee, Joseph Sloan, Joe Sloan, Perry Morgan of Tarkio, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sloan and sons, Elbert, Virgil and Kenneth.

Friendship Club

The Friendship Club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. W. Steel on East Cooper street. A short business meeting was held when plans for club work were discussed. The rest of the time was spent in needlework and socially. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Furman Rogers. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Beatrice Harrington of Los Angeles, Cal., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Otto Frazee, and Mrs. R. J. Beegley. The members present were Mrs. L. R. Strong, Mrs. Otto Frazee, Mrs. J. B. Brummett, Mrs. Frank Wilmes, Mrs. Furman Rogers and Mrs. Ernest Kessler. The next meeting will be held June 7 with Mrs. Frank Wilmes at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Breedlove.

Slumber Party.

Miss Katherine Carpenter entertained the members of her Smith-Hughes class of the Maryville High School at a slumber party last night at her home on East Fourth street. The party attended the senior class play at the State Teachers College and later enjoyed a picnic supper at the Carpenter home. A breakfast party this morning concluded the festivities. The guests numbered seventeen. Miss Carpenter, who has resigned the position, was presented with a silver cream and sugar service.

Bloomdale Willing Workers Club

Mrs. Elmer Hanna entertained the Bloomdale Willing Workers Club yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Lett. The time was spent in quilting after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Will Lett and Crystal Copeland. Those in attendance were Mrs. James Lett, Mrs. Bert Oliphant, Mrs. Clair Conley, Mrs. Chance Copeland, Mrs. Orville Cray, Mrs. James Carter, Mrs. Edmund Harvey, Mrs. Parle Runnels, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Crystal Copeland, Alma Carter, Clarita Conley and Lauren, Eldena, Lillian and Robert Runnels. The next meeting will be held June 7 with Mrs. Will Lett when the quilt will be finished. Election of officers will be held and roll call will be answered by facts about the flag.

Social Hour Club

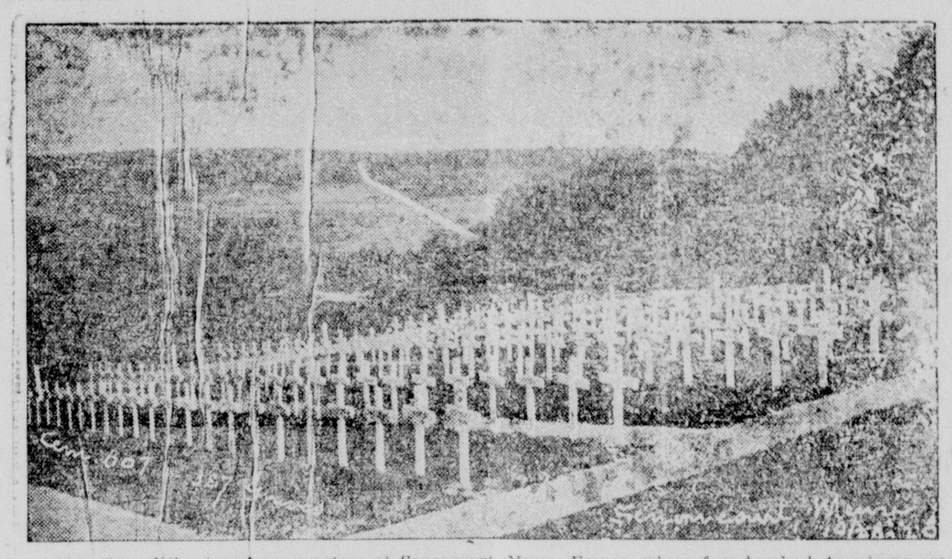
The Social Hour Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Will Spangler. The members played games and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her daughters, Edith and Lesta Spangler, and Tressie King. The members present were Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, Mrs. Edgar Houston, Mrs. Charles Fakes, Mrs. Art Wilson, Mrs. Theodore Gray, Mrs. Mert Morris, Miss Tressie King, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. Leslie Hanna and son, Lloyd, Mrs. W. P. Scott and daughter, Hazel, Mrs. Omar Strong and daughter, Helen, Mrs. Roy McMullin, Miss Lois King, and the hostess and adughters, Edith and Lesta Spangler. The club will meet June 6 at the home of Mrs. Rich Spurgeon.

U. S. Occupation Army Bill Signed

Paris, May 25—An agreement among leaders to the United States "demands for 256 million dollars for upkeep of the army of occupation" on the Rhine, was signed here late this afternoon. It was signed by the United States and interested allied powers. The funds will be drawn from German reparations.

To Snodgrass Meeting.

Several carloads of Maryville persons left this afternoon for Rock Port, where they will attend the revival meeting tonight, which is conducted by the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass of Maryville. The Snodgrass quartette composed of W. E. Goforth, Floyd Lunsford, the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass and Price Doyle will sing several numbers at tonight's services.



A section of the American cemetery at Senoncourt, Meuse, France, where four hundred Americans are buried. This is one of the smaller permanent American military cemeteries, left behind by the American Expeditionary Forces.

Christian Church Notes

The pastor is still in his meeting at Rock Port. The meeting is successful in every way, and is receiving the hearty co-operation of all the ministers and church people.

It was visited by the Ku Klux Klan last Sunday evening when, eight hooded Klansmen marched in, presented their offering of $55.00, asked for prayer and as mysteriously departed. This has done much to get the meeting in the minds of the people.

The pastor will be home for his regular services next Sunday morning. The Men's class meets in the Conservatory hall, and all the officers of the class are anxious to reach the 150 mark for next Sunday. The attendance of the class is keeping well above the hundred mark, but the class is expecting to build up the attendance during the next few weeks. All men not attending elsewhere are urged to come to the class next Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Uel Lamkin, of the College will fill the pulpit next Sunday night, in the absence of the pastor. His messages are always helpful and the pastor urges his own people to hear the address. There will likely be many present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morris of Graham announce the birth of a son yesterday.

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He Told Them That Their Hands Were Full of Blood

Isaiah Talked to the Men of Judah From the Shoulder Right Straight Out

(By C. L. Ficklin, Editor Dekalb County Herald, Maysville, Mo.)

If you want to read something that rips and tears, that burns and lambasts, that pierces and seethes and bites you don't have to go farther than the first chapter of Isaiah. Talk about skinners! Some one has said that Jim Reed is a terrible skinner when he starts in to skin somebody. Some one has intimated that John J. Ingalls, when he stood up in the United States Senate, had a tongue that just went in under the hide of his opponent and then just plowed along there and ripped and popped and tore. There have been some great slingers of invective in this country.

But if you want to read a pastmaster of invective, read this chapter of Isaiah. And the beauty about it is that it is high invective. It differs from the skinnings that ordinary men give one another. When one man skins another the chances are that he is just mad, and is letting his temper run. Isaiah spoke out of the godliness of the man.

He told them that—
They had bloody hands.
They robbed widows.
They killed goats and calves and lambs for an offering and at the same time had unclean hearts—and that their sacrifices were a mockery.
They were murderers.
A bunch of Sodomites.
Blasphemers even at prayer time.
Rebels and companions of thieves.

It was the high function of Isaiah to read the riot act to those people of Judah in his day. They needed it. And Isaiah knew how to strike them.

There is something that has always seemed rather grim to me about the name Isaiah. I have known a few boys whose parents have named them Isaiah. And it always seemed to me that the boys carried something pretty serious around with them in the name.

But just the same it has been a wonderful name in history.

The lesson for next Sunday is about the time when Isaiah stood before God and beheld the holiness of God; and about how he cried out about his own unworthiness; and about how he exclaimed that his lips were unclean. He felt utterly prostrate in his own uncleanness.

That's a pretty good fix for a fellow to get in.

It is a pretty good thing every now and then for a fellow to face himself and look himself squarely in the eye and tell himself that he really does not amount to much, that he hasn't the least bit of an excuse in the world to be stuck on himself; and that in the presence of God he is a mighty poor stick.

After he does that God can take that fellow and make something out of him. God makes the strongest men out of men who realize their own weakness; and he does lots for the men who in their own weakness just reach up a loving arm and lock it in God's loving arm, so He can make them strong. And He does it too, don't you forget it.

I know a man named Hiram. They call him Hi for short.

Hi is a friend of mine, has been a farmer all his life. Hi has a sandy mustache, weighs about 120 pounds, and it always seemed to me that he has a heart in him nearly that big. But anyway Hi was telling me one time not long ago that in his earlier years he had a tendency to bawl people out now and then, and he had a tendency to see the other fellow's faults. One day he saw a friend. The friend crossed Hi about something, and Hi concluded that he would give that fellow a good dressing down. And he just had got his face good and red and his lips framed just right to pour out a mad rush of words at the fellow when he thought to himself: "Hold on there Hi. Just wait a minute will you. Maybe you are not right in this. Maybe you are at fault yourself. Maybe that fellow never meant to do you any harm. You have got your wires crossed. Just pull that tongue of yours back in head and shut up your mouth for a little bit."

He halted. He did not make an outcry. He began to look at Hi instead of the other fellow, and he found that Hi needed a little tuning up and toning up. And it taught him a lesson. Ever since then he says that he has considered it his main business to watch Hi.

That was a case of humility overcoming temper; of self-control overmastering passion; casting the beam out of his own eye before he undertook to jerk the mote of his neighbor's eye.

And Hi is one of the best men I know. He's fit now to be denouncer of evil.

And the fellow who has done that; the fellow who thoroughly gets humble; thinks more about his own unworthiness than he does about the other fellow's—strang as it may seem, that fellow in the end is the only fellow who is at all fit to become one of God's good servants to denounce crime and sin and wickedness. He is not all fit to do it until he is cleaned up himself.

John Bunyan wrote Pilgrim's Progress. John Bunyan was one of the world's great saints. John Bunyan put in a whole lot of his time looking upon John Bunyan and John Bunyan's unworthiness. He seems even to have grossly exaggerated his own uncleanness. That was because he had a conscience as sensitive as it could be.

He counted himself unworthy.
But God has exalted him.
Isaiah did that way.
And God exalted him.

Isaiah was thoroughly interested in his business.

And what was that business?

It was looking after God's big, high, holy work.

That's a wonderful kind of a man—did you ever think about that? And yet how many of us are there that get up on our toes about God's work and get absorbed in it?

We get absorbed in some things. But oftentimes they do not amount to any great sight. I used to go to a city that is some distance away from this part of the country, and my attention was often drawn to a news agent that rushed around there on the street corner where humanity bunched thickest. He was about forty years old, but he had not lost one whit of interest in the game of selling papers. At any rate I don't think he had lost any of the interest in that thing—if he had he must have been a gatling gun in his youth. He was red-faced. Stubby whiskers covered his cheeks and chin—looked like maybe he was so interested in this consuming passion of his life that he had not had time to shave. And he would rush around throwing his hands about, jumping from one place to another, all spraddled out at times, his voice sounding forth in jerky, loud, quivery-like notes as he called out such as this:

"Wuxtra! Wuxtra! Jack Dempsey knocks out Tommy Gibbons in the ninth round with a smash on the jaw."

"All about the Owl Holler murder. Two masked men kill town mayor, rob him of $1,000 cash and two diamonds, and make their getaway in a Ford."

"All about the bank robbery!"

"Hired man runs away with his employer's wife."

"Big-footed Chicago girl breaks the long distance dance record by 3 minutes and 4 seconds!"

"War declared in the Balkan states."

"Harding splits G. O. P. with world court!"

"Spindlelegged professor beats Billy Bryan for moderator!"

"Jack Keefe wins world serious!"

And I have thought of that fellow just from the mere standpoint of how interested he was in his business. His life was in his business. He put pep, push, power, snap, in his business. I venture the thought that that fellow gets so interested in his business that it takes him some time to go to sleep at night—has to wait until he calms down.

And yet his business just had to do with the daily grist of what is sometimes called the humdrum of life.

I have thought of that fellow on his tiptoes.

And then I have thought of the fellow who classifies as an intense Christian and who goes to sleep in church. If every agent of Almighty God on earth now would get as absorbed in the King's business as that redfaced, jerky, sweaty, pushing, shoving, shouting newsboy got about his own business then God's own business would push like a prairie fire after three months of dry weather.

I put down Isaiah as a man who was interested in Jehovah's business, more interested in this high business than the redfaced news agent was in that business of his.

That's the glory of Isaiah—his zeal along high levels.

And that's the gauge of a highclass man.

He takes a wonderful interest in high things.

"Here am I; send me."

That's what Isaiah said. Nobody ever said anything that beat it either. That's the kind of men God wants now.

My Birthday Creeting Surprise

When least expecting we are met with happy and pleasing surprises, so in my youthful old age, just such greetings come to me with flowers, a beautiful gladiolus, not from far away Asia, Africa's Good Hope, nor the forests of the Isle of Wight, oh no but from the fraternal, warm hearted women of the Maryville W. R. C., God bless them. Just such a surprise adorns my "humble home," not as lonely a home as may be supposed for such could not be midst so many kind friends, a greeting blushing with the sweetness of the donors, ever to be remembered. How sweet not to be forgotten. Such memory brings real joy. What would the G. A. R. be without the W. R. C. I bow to all in F. C. & L.

Ira K. Alderman, Maryville, Mo.

NODAWAY SHIPPERS ON ST. JOE MARKET YESTERDAY

From Nodaway county, Walker & Jones, Earl Walker, F. E. Jones, Carden & Owens, W. A. Reed & Co., Stevenson & Gulbert, Van Goslee, Wm. Barber sold stock on Thursday's market at St. Joseph.

Edward W. Gray returned yesterday from a business trip to Trenton, Gilman City and Jamesport where he has been in insurance organization work.

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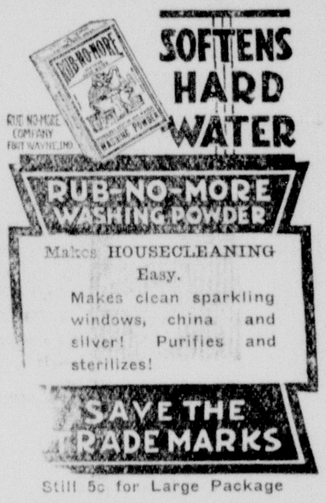
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Special Announcement

Beginning June 1, I will close my greenhouses and business on Sundays for the sale of flowers and plants excepting for certain occasions, as funerals, etc. Greenhouses will be open from 2 p. m. to 5 p. m. to visitors only, on Sundays. Flowers for most occasions for use over Sundays can be packed by us to keep and we will provide a special late delivery on Saturdays to take care of these orders. To provide even a better service than what our customers have been getting demands that our help get one day's rest out of every seven and I am sure that our customers and the public at large will be more than glad to cooperate.

Alfred Engelmann
The Florist

Geraniums in Bloom for Memorial Day

All colors and varieties that are sure bloomers. Large sizes $3.00 and $4.00 per dozen, 25c and 35c each; small size 15c each, 2 for 25c, $1.50 per dozen. Small size not in bloom, only $1.00 per dozen, and the choicest and most complete line of bedding and decorative plants that we have ever offered in all sizes and prices. Flowers and plants are selling much cheaper in proportion than other things. Engelmann's reasonable prices are possible by quantity production and volume of sales. Make your selection at once. We will hold them for you and deliver when wanted. It is always better to set out Engelmann's plants than to wish you had. A complete floral service.

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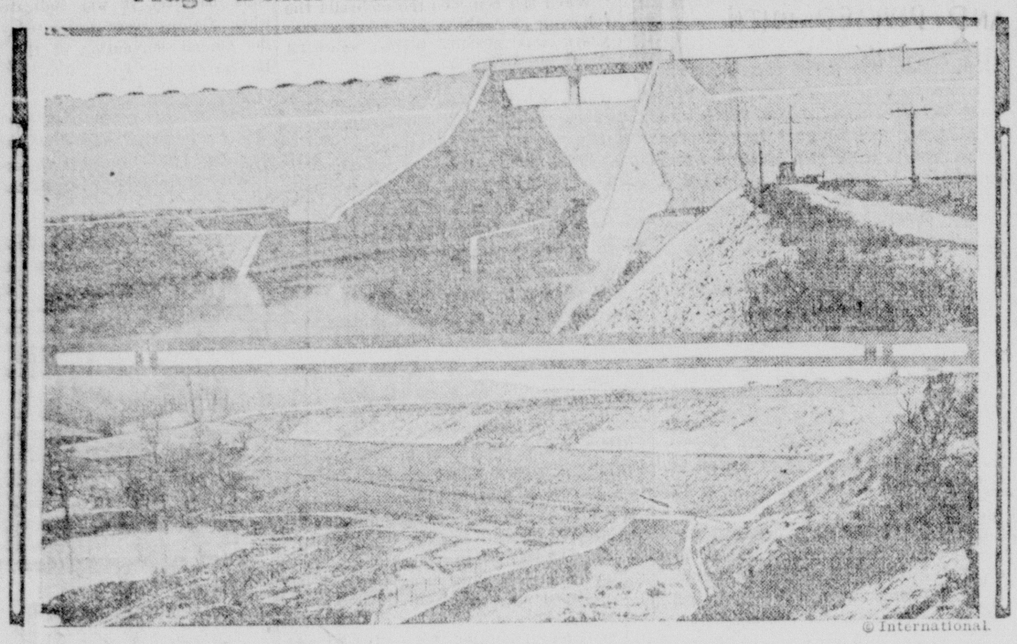
Helping the Drive to Purchase Monticello

One of the attractive features of the opening of the $1,000,000 drive to purchase Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson at Charlottesville, Va., was the folk dancing by the community dancers of Albemarle county, Va. They gave an exhibition of the polka as danced in Jefferson's time. It is planned to make Monticello a shrine on the order of Mount Vernon.

Huge Dams Built to Prevent Floods in Ohio



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In 1917, four years after the great flood near Piqua, O., which did millions of dollars damage to the surrounding country, work was started on one of the greatest engineering projects in the history of the country. It is being completed at a cost of thirty-three million dollars. The illustration shows two of the huge dams built. Above is the Lockington dam on the Lermie river, 73 feet high, 6,600 feet long and 460 feet wide at the base. Below is the Germantown dam below Dayton.

MO. CLUB WOMEN MAY MEET HERE

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ing were Mrs. W. C. Chaves of Atchison, Kan., Miss Pearl Barmann of Savannah and Mrs. M. A. Ummethum of Kansas City.

Report Of Convention

Mrs. Baker, retiring president, gave a comprehensive report of the tenth biennial of the State Federation last week at Joplin, which she and Mrs. E. C. Carfman attended as delegates from the local club. Mrs. Baker was a member of the nominating and election committee and was the only club member from the First district on that committee. In 1909 through the efforts of Mrs. Henry N. Ess of Kansas City, now president of the State Federation, the Federation voted to start a loan fund whereby young women of this state who were without means might be enabled to obtain a college education. At the biennial last week Mrs. Ess reported the growth of that fund to $7,618.00, and announced that 180 girls now have loans.

Among other resolutions to be submitted for final consideration are the following:

A resolution to appoint a committee of one member from each federated district to cooperate with the board of directors of the Missouri Association in "selling Missouri," and asking that the chairman of the committee be made a member of the board of directors of the association.

A resolution indorsing the work of the Poster Association in its work in the movement for a "Greater Missouri."

Other resolutions passed were with regard to the Mark Twain memorial at Florida, Mo.; to co-operate with the Daughters of the American Revolution to make the Hawthorne the state flower, and to see that it is widely planted in Missouri; indorsement of Mrs. Wallace Reid's anti-narcotic society; to make a special study of taxation in the clubs; to cut down the consumption of sugar at least half until such time as the prices are lowered; indorsement of the "Department of Education" in the president's cabinet as provided for in the Towner-Sterling bill and several minor resolutions.

Under the presidency of Mrs. Baker the club has concluded one of the most successful years in its history.

Many Colors With Wierd Names for Fashions of Fall

The textile Color Card Association, arbiter of Fashion's rainbow, has just announced its color mandate for next Fall. Since all roads of Fashion lead to the Valley of the Kings, colors are to have a decided Egyptian tang and the "shades" of King Tut and his fair queen are to stalk anew.

According to the color forecast as portrayed on the new Fall 1923 Season Card of America, browns, syncopated in many variations, are to lead the way. Papyrus, Cartouche, and Mummy are the Egyptian browns, while Cigarette, Havana, and Tobacco, perpetuate the "good old weed." Greens assume the second in command—Torquoise, Feldspar, and Egyptian Green are the most prominent. Other authentic Egyptian colors accurately reproduced, are Carnelian and Egyptian Red—also the blues of Faience, Luxor, and Blue Lotus.

Colors of the Italian Renaissance are also to play a part on Fashion's stage, such as a flamboyant orange called Florentine, two regal purples, Old Coral, and a wine-dipped red named Doge. Rare old tapestry hues are likewise to delight the fashionists with soft Gobelin and Flemish blues, Antique Bronze, and Barnished Gold, and piquant rose shades made famous by the master painter Fragonard. Deep reds and spice-toned browns of India, Greys; Sands, and Navy blues will also keep step in Fall's color pageant with the more daring and capricious colors for evening wear.

In addition to the 66 colors portrayed in silk, there are twelve woolen colors on the card. Among these, tans and browns are again stressed—Camel's hair, well described by its name; Sakkara, a desert sand shade; and Perique, a tobacco brown, are the most favored. London smoke and phantom are new greys; Everglade and pine tree the greens; Normandy, a true peasant blue, and Monterey, a sporty orange.

A special group of ten shoe, leather, and hosiery colors feature Bieges and browns in a wide range of light, medium, and dark shades. Greys are also shown, and a delectable new shade called Log Cabin is a pleasing rose-tinted castor.

Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday.

RIGHTEOUSNESS BRINGS PEACE.—The work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness, quietness and assurance forever. And my people shall dwell in a peaceable habitation, and in sure dwellings, and in quiet resting places.—Isa. 32:17, 18.

Monday.

THE TWO GREAT COMMANDMENTS.—Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind: and thy neighbor as thyself.—Luke 10:27.

Tuesday.

THERE IS NO DISCHARGE.—There is no man that hath power over the spirit to retain the spirit; neither hath he power in the day of death: and there is no discharge in that war.—Eccles. 8:8.

Wednesday.

HOW TO PRAY.—Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.—Mark 11:24.

Thursday.

YE SHALL BE SATISFIED.—Ye shall eat in plenty, and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God that hath dealt wondrously with you: and My people shall never be ashamed.—Joel 2:26.

Friday.

THE ROYAL LAW.—If ye fulfill the royal law according to the Scripture, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself, ye do well: but if ye have respect to persons, ye commit sin, and are convicted of the law as transgressors.—James 2:8, 9.

Saturday.

CURSING OR BLESSING?—Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord.

SNODGRASS HANDED $55 BY KLANSMEN

WAS GIVEN DURING MEETING AT ROCK PORT.

EIGHT VISIT THE CHURCH

Walk Down the Aisle, Present the Gift, Ask for Prayer, Then Disappear.

Eight members of the Ku Klux Klan of Rock Port, walked down the aisle of a church there Sunday night, and handed the Rev. R. E. Snodgrass a note together with a cash offering of $55 to help defray the expenses of the meeting, the Reverend Snodgrass is conducting there.

The note read as follows:

"In appreciation of the services that are being rendered to the people of this community by these meetings, Rock Port Klan No. 18, Realm of Missouri, Invisible Empire Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, tender this gift, which we hope will be accepted in the same manner as it is tendered, and trust that the same be used to partially defray the expenses of the meetings.—Rock Port Klan No. 18, Realm of Missouri, Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

After handing the note to the Reverend Snodgrass, the eight members, who were lined up in front of the pulpit, asked for prayer. When the prayer was started, the eight klansmen knelt and remained silent until it was finished. Then they arose; the Reverend Snodgrass thanked them for the contribution, and they departed as mysteriously as they came.

In speaking of the incident, the Reverend Snodgrass said, "The contirbution manifested a good spirit, and this visit has done much to get the meeting in the minds of the people. It is said that there are about 300 Klansmen in the Rock Port community. To get an organization of men, the size of that one, behind a meeting is going to be good. The meeting has been talked more in two days than in two weeks previously."

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Reimer's Market and Delicatessen

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Mrs. Amelia Diss Died Last Night

Mrs. Amelia Diss, 76 years old, widow of the late William Diss, died at 8:30 o'clock last night at her home, 515 South Fillmore street, following an illness of a complication of diseases for more than two years. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. Patrick's Church, and burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

Mrs. Diss was born in Ontario, Canada, February 13, 1847, and came to Nodaway county in 1873. She was married February 12, 1874 to William Diss who died three years ago. After his death Mrs. Diss moved from the home near Ravenwood to Maryville. She is survived by four children, Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell, Arkoe, Pete and Joseph Diss, Maryville, and Lawrence Diss, Ravenwood. One sister, Mrs. Ellen Killin of St. Joseph, also survives. One sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Tulley of Winnipeg, Canada, died January 13, this year, at the age of 88 years, and a brother, William Dornan of Maryville, passed away February 9, aged 84 years.

8th Grade Graduates 30 Into High School

Thirty pupils of the 8 A grade today gained the right to be called, "Freshies," when they were graduated from the last of the grades and will enter the high school in the fall. The following are the members of the class:

Glen Litsch, Eudora McDonald, Leola Miller, Esther Miller, Ora Petty, Beatrice Puckett, Nellie Russell, Nettie Russell, Nellie Marion Smith, Earl Somerville, Virginia Tulloch, Doris Wallace, Noreen White, Lawrence Wray, Veldron Anderson, Winifred Baker, Mary Jane Bellows, Darroll Boettler, Halbert Catterson, Cleola Dawson, Carl Leroy Fisher, Edwyna Forsyth, Mildred Hughes, Ruth Jenson, Ray Keever, Helen Lauber, Frances Lemon, Florence Wray, Catherine Wray, Alice Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Runnels of Pickering were shopping in Maryville today.

ACCUSED OF FORGERY

Mrs. M. B. Hayes, who is charged in New York with forgery in the second degree by Henry A. Mark of the real estate firm of Stoddard & Mark, who alleges she forged the name of Charles M. Schwab on a 60-day note for $25,000. Mr. Schwab told reporters that he had known Mrs. Hayes for twenty-five years, that she was a thorough business woman, but that she had no authority to sign his name. It is reported that the case involves other forgeries of Mr. Schwab's name totaling $300,000. Mrs. Hayes' home is in Boston.

Africa Stands High.

Geologists believe Africa is a huge block of the earth's crust, thrust above the ocean's level by some force from deep in the rocks, and held there almost since geologic history began. Africa is a continent practically without harbors. The northern portion is generally low and has at different times been covered by the sea. But the southern peninsula, the true "dark continent," is a high plateau. All around its coasts the shores rise steeply out of the water. Rivers pour down the slopes in rapids, or, in the case of Zambezi, the scarp is sheer enough to have generated a waterfall.

Two Killed in Airplane Crash

Washington, May 25.—Major Thomas Duncan, an army air officer, and Edwin Krupp, a civilian employee of the war department, were burned to death at Bowlings Field here this afternoon when an airplane in which they were flying, crashed to the ground when at a height of 200 feet and was consumed by flames.

Disproves Abolition of 12-Hour Steel Day

New York, May 25.—Judge Elbert H. Gary, head of the steel committee appointed at the request of President Harding to investigate the feasibility of establishing an 8-hour day in the steel industry, reported today that the committee did not favor a complete abolition of the 12-hour day.

Flowers for flower gardens, porch boxes and hanging baskets. Foliages, geraniums, Saltenar, Sweet Alyssum, Salvia, Wandering Jew, Petunias, Vinca Vines, English Ivy, Dusty Miller, Vinca Roses, Periwinkle, Verbenia, Snap Dragons, Black Eyed Susan, etc., at only 10c each. $1.00 per dozen. Pansy plants in bloom, 50c per doz. Cut flowers for any occasion; vegetable plants for everybody.

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Sunday, May 27

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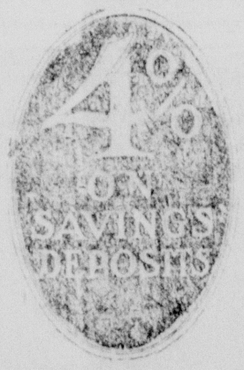

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The Democrat-Forum.

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Price 50 cents.

Given by the Rebekahs.

MENU:

Chicken with noodles
Green Onions Radishes
Cottage Cheese
Hot Biscuits
Mashed white potatoes
Candied sweet potatoes
Creamed peas
Lettuce salad
Ice Cream Cake
Coffee

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage **with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.**

FOR SALE—iron bed, springs, mattress. Hanamo 4640. 24-26

FOR SALE—good desk phone, and 3-burner coal oil stove. Call at 510 N. Fillmore. Mrs. Ed Masters. 23-28

Fried Chicken! A few 2 lb. frys at 40c per lb., Mrs. Marion Smith, 408 North Ave. Farmers 244. M5tf

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 560 Kane Building. M3-tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. M1-tf

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FOR SALE—1920 Chevrolet touring, 1918 Ford touring; 1916 Ford roadster. These cars are all in good mechanical condition. Lanning Auto Service, East Side Square. 23-25

Plants—Earlianna, Bonny Best and Livingston Globe Tomato and Copenhagen Market and Charlestown Wakefield cabbage, 1 doz. 15c, 2 doz. 25c, 100 75c, Cauliflower 20c doz. Yellow Jersey and Nancy Hall potato plants 50c per 100. Postage extra. Walter E. Johnson, Pickering. M11tf

Buy varnish at Holt Supply Co. M11-J2

Nancy Hall sweet potato plants, 50c per 100, post paid. I. R. Sharp, Bolckow, Mo. 21-26

FOR SALE—A few bu. of Wilson's soy beans. Elmer Fraser, first door north Real Estate Bank. 24-26.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Improved 1,620-acre ranch in Hooker county, Neb., half valley, three wired fence, hedge posts, seven fields. J. T. Hays, 405 W. 12th, Maryville. M10tf

FOR SALE—Thousand bushels of corn. Harvey Wood, Barnard, R. F. D. no. 2. Phone through Graham 17-59. M.25-J.1

FOR SALE—P. and O. two row go devil. Been in use two years. On Jacob Melvin farm, 5 miles north of Burlington depot. W. R. Morrow. 24-25*

FOR SALE—Empty wooden packing boxes, all sizes. D. E. Hotchkin, Third and Main. 25-28

MISCELLANEOUS

See me or phone me for your subscription to the News-Press, N. B. Sastello, 1103 North Mulberry. 24-26*

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

Store your stove with Smith and Braniger. M2-June2*

WANT to make your auto tops. Work guaranteed. Lanning Auto Top and Tire Shop, east side of square. A28-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms and light housekeeping rooms. Case Furniture exchange. M15-tf

"WANTED—a good, steady, gentlemanly salesman to handle a Ward's wagon in Nodaway County. No experience needed. For full particulars, write promptly to Dr. Ward's Medical Company, Winona, Minnesota. Established 1856." M25tf

WANTED, immediately, merchandise stocks, garages, stocks, equipments and automobiles. Send full details in first letter. Benjamin C. Deane, 413 Ridge Arcade Bldg., Kansas City, Missouri. 25*

WANTED—Carrier boy News-Press. Farmers 119; or 1103 North Mulberry. 24-26*

Young man wants work on farm. Hanamo 546. 24-26

WANTED—To buy good timothy hay and oats. Glover & Alexander. 23-25

FOR RENT—Pasture for horse or cattle. $1.50 per month. Earl Robinson, Farmers 50-19. 24-26*

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms for light housekeeping in modern home, five blocks east of square. Inquire 408 N. Main. No telephone. 24-26

Stenographer-Book-keeper, thoroughly experienced young lady, 23, desires position. Address Irma Nelson, Ladysmith, Wis.

FOR SALE—Plants what am, at North Greenhouse. Will have Nancy Halls in few days. Visitors welcome. Ed Kuster & Son, Farmers 144. 25-28*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, May 25. — CATTLE—Receipts, 6,000.
HOGS—Receipts, 28,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 7,000.

St. Louis, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 9,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,500.

Kansas City, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 6,000.

St. Joseph, May 25.—CATTLE—Receipts, 850.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $7.25; 5c lower.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,200.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per doz.	19c
Buterfat, per lb.	36c
Springs, per lb	25c to 30c
Hens, per lb.	17c to 19c
Roosters, per lb.	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb.	7c

Dr. James to Speak at Malta Bend, Mo.

Dr. C. C. James, pastor of the First M. E. Church, has been invited to Malta Bend, Mo., June 3 to give the principal address at the homecoming of the Methodist Church there. Twenty years ago Dr. James was pastor of the Malta Bend Church. He was there for six years. Dr. O. L. Curl prosecuting attorney, will fill the pulpit here on that day.

Saunders and Brown Buy Fine Jersey Bull

Was Purchased at Griswold, Iowa, Yesterday by Nodaway Men—Sire Is Imported.

What is considered the best Jersey bull ever owned in Nodaway County was purchased yesterday by E. E. Saunders and M. A. Brown from Dr. R. B. Johnston, owner of Cloverdale Farm Jerseys, Griswold, Iowa. The bull, Lois' Oxford Gipsy, is by Oxford Gipsy's Lad, who was imported from the Island of Jersey in 1916, won second prize at the Minnesota state fair in 1918 and sold at auction for $2,700 that year when not quite three years old. The dam of the bull which Messrs. Brown and Saunders have purchased is a Gold Medal cow, the highest testing daughter of Oxford Lad's Progress, and ex-state champion, class 6, of Minnesota. Her Register of Merit records are 8370.3 lbs of milk and 491.1 lbs of butter at two years, 7 months; 11,168.9 lbs milk and 628.8 lbs butter at 4 years, 1 month and 16, 143.7 lbs milk containing 897 lbs butter at 6 years, 4 months of age.

Both Mr. Saunders and Mr Brown are building up a herd of Jersey cattle and in two or three years should have some very high producing cows sired by their new bull. The purchase of this bull makes it possible to complete the organization of a regular three block bull association. Mr. Moberly at Maryville, and Floyd Evans at Ravenwood already having good pure bred bulls. At the end of two years the bulls can exchange places on different farms, thus giving the owners the use of good purebred sires for six years without the necessity of purchasing any others.

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Big Events in the Lives of Little Men

OH BEN, LOOK'T THE APPLE TAFFIES
GET SOME JAW-BREAKERS TOO, BEN
I LIKE THESE
AN' SOME O' THEM
GET SOME OF THOSE ALL-DAY-SUCKERS
YOU KNOW ME, BEN
THAT MAKES SIXTEEN CENTS BENJAMIN
THE TIME BEN STOUT FOUND A QUARTER AND DIVVIED WITH THE GANG
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Pickering

O. C. NULL

Mrs. W. A. Maxwell of St. Joseph returned to her home last Saturday after a short visit at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ery Bosch.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schrader of Maryville visited at the home of Rol and Clara Schrader, brother and sister of Mr. Schrader last Friday night returning to their home Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Lyons of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived here Tuesday having been called here by the serious illness of her father, James Craven who has been in poor health for some time but has been confined to his bed for the past week or ten days.

Mrs. W. E. Hantze returned Tuesday from Denver, Colo., where she was called by the serious illness of her brother, John Schroyer about two weeks ago. Since returning home she has received word that her brother died Monday afternoon.

Her sister, Mrs. Bert Florea who was with her brother at the time of his death will spend some time in Colorado before returning home.

Misses Marie and Mildred Burks returned last Saturday from Wyconda, Mo., where they have had positions in the public schools for the past two years and will spend the summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burks.

A. S. Byerrum started Thursday morning to Ewing, Mo., where he will visit at the home of his son Doctor Charles Byerrum and Mrs. Byerrum for a few days.

Halden Watson of Jamesport, Mo., visited at the home of his grand mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hewitt last Saturday. He went from here to Hopkins where he visited friends over Sunday.

Mr. Roy Wolfers attended the meeting of the Bankers Association in St. Joseph this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolfers and daughter, Margaret expect to start Friday evening for Muskogee, Okla., where they will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Herbert former residents of Pickering.

Messrs Omer Wray and Glenn McKee went to St. Joseph Friday of this week to purchase goods for the Wray Hdw. Co. with whom they are both employed.

Loren Chambers returned Thursday night from St. Joseph where he had been looking after the marketing of a load of cattle.

The frequent showers this week have interfered considerably with corn planting and as a result there is quite an acreage yet to plant.

There is some replanting being done on account of the ground being crusted by the heavy rain about two weeks ago. The later plantings however promise a good stand and is starting quickly after planting.

Methodist Church

The Wesleyan Society will meet at the church Tuesday, May 29 at 2 p. m. The ladies are requested to bring thread and thimbles for quilting.

Sunday school is gaining slightly in attendance. The young married folks class, with Leslie Moore as teacher had 35 present Sunday. They need a room to themselves. Our Sunday school will never be 100% efficient till we have more room, either by putting a basement under the church or by some other means.

Two classes go out into the yard for their sessions now when it is warm enough.

Preaching at Pickering at 11 a. m. and at 3 p. m. the pastor will preach the annual Memorial sermon at Myrtle Tree.

Christian Church

Bible School at 10:00 a. m. next Sunday. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. The morning service will be a memorial service in honor of the departed soldiery of the nation.

Special musical numbers have been arranged for and the sermon will be in keeping with the occasion.

A special invitation is extended all ex-service men both of the World War and the Civil War to attend their service.

Harmony

Planting corn seems to be the order of the day, several having finished.

The Rev. R. S. Underwood filled the pulpit Sunday at the usual hour. A good crowd was present both morning and evening. A Christian Endeavor has been organized, which will begin at 7:30 Sunday evening. Everyone invited.

Bige Lawson and Lee Wynn were on the St. Joseph market one day last week with hogs.

The little daughter of Robert Powel fell off of a porch onto the cement walk, cutting her head so badly as to necessitate the taking of ten stitches to close the wound.

The Baker medicine man was a caller in this neighborhood this week.

The Rev. Underwood and family spent Sunday at the home of Mike Saunders.

Harold Anderson, wife and baby of Maryville took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Green.

Lenn King was hauling sand from Ravenwood one day this week. As they are ready to commence to plaster their new house.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McCrery and daughter, Helen of Parnell were Sunday callers at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Lee Wynn.

Miss Ruth Green, who has been teaching the Casteel school, returned to her home at Spring Hill, Kansas. She was accompanied home by her little niece, Thelma Green.

Ernest Monroe was a business caller at Ravenwood Monday.

Mrs. Alfred Hunt is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Roy Wells, who was operated on last week at the St. Francis hospital for tumor is getting along nicely.

The mothers and daughters banquet which was held at the schoolhouse Friday night, was well attended. The following program was given.

Invocation, Mrs. R. Underwood; song, Sweeter as the Years Go By; Toast, Our Guiding Friend, Miss Alta Moore; toast, Our Companion on the Road, Mrs. Lee Wynn; toast, The Time I Dressed Up in Mother's Clothes, Mrs. Hubert Null; duet, Some Mother's Child, Mrs. W. I. Lewis, Mrs. Cecil Lawson; talk, Milestones, Mrs. Art Cravens; talk, Sign Posts, Miss Hazel Cox; talk, The Stranger on the Road, Mrs. Ben Cox; talk, The Fork in the Road, Miss Ruth Green; address, Ideal Womanhood, Mrs. Arthur Hunt; song, O Love That Will Not Let Me Go; benediction, Mrs. Ben Cox.

Lee Campbell of King City, who has been visiting his sister-in-law, Miss Edna Turner of the high school faculty since Wednesday, returned home this morning. Mrs. Campbell, who accompanied him to Maryville will visit here until tomorrow.

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A SILK UMBRELLA

By MILDRED LAVOIE

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MISS EVELINA Day was a gentle little spinster, and she coveted a silk umbrella.

"It has cost me a new hat, but I am glad I have it," she told her friend, Carrie Brown.

"Yes, and the first time you take it out you'll be sure to leave it behind you," replied the practical Carrie.

Now a silk umbrella, having cost so much, is a precious thing, and Miss Evelina only took hers out on sunshiny days. Whenever it rained she always carried with her a big cotton umbrella. But this particular day the sun shone brightly, therefore the silk umbrella went for an airing. She had to attend one of those meetings where much is said but nothing is done, and no conclusion is arrived at. She yawned through a dreary afternoon, and when she arrived home—horrors! To her chagrin she discovered that she was not carrying her silk umbrella, but a big cotton one, which unmistakably was the property of some man. Of course, the person in the checkroom made the error, but, oh, dear! why hadn't she remembered that she had the silk umbrella with her!

When she returned the umbrella the following day, a big man of uncertain years was already there, bellowing about his umbrella.

"You gave me that lady's parasol in place of my parachute, which really keeps out the rain. Abominable, I call it!"

"Oh, dear," spoke Evelina, "I think I must have your umbrella. Why, Mr. Jarvis, do you remember me?"

"Bless my heart! You are little Miss Evelina Day, are you not?' To be sure, I remember when your uncle—"

So that is how they met. Then followed days when they had tea together, when they lunched together, when he sent her books and flowers, and little Miss Evelina blushed like a young girl and had dreams, lovely dreams! Sometimes she would set her tiny table for two, and would ask an imaginary person across the table, "How many lumps, dear, two?" Then she would blush and reprimand herself for indulging in such childish nonsense.

But there came a blank day when she heard nothing from him. Then other blank days followed. Finally, he sent her a letter in which he stated he had something very precious he wished to give her and—could he call the following afternoon?

"Miss Evelina," he told her, after they had exchanged greetings, "you have been very kind to me, and I wish to reward you. You are a woman I can trust with anything, even my dearest possession."

Miss Evelina held her breath.

"Ah, Miss Evelina, the dearest thing that I have is none too good for you. To show how I trust you, I am going to leave in your keeping my—my pet alligator, Brutus, I call him. He's been with me for more than five years. I bought him when I was last in South America, where I must soon return."

"Oh—oh, thank you!" There was just the suggestion of tears in Miss Evelina's eyes.

"And, Mr. Jarvis, I have a precious possession which I desire to place in your keeping. I want to leave you my—" But Miss Evelina remembered that she had no pet. Her only possession was the silk umbrella, but he had already condemned that as a worthless article, and what would he do traveling in South America with a lady's parasol? What could she give him to show her trust?

"Yes, Miss Evelina, you have something you wish me to have?"

"Yes, Mr. Jarvis. I want to give you the only thing I possess. Perhaps you may not want it, and of course you have the right to reject my offer. But, Mr. Jarvis, if you really want it—why, I offer you—" But here her feminine decorum took complete possession of her, and she burst into tears.

"Bless my heart, Miss Evelina, does it hurt so much to part with it?"

"No, Mr. Jarvis, it's not that. But it does hurt to say it. If you wish, you may have me. I have no other possession worthy of you. I say this merely to show how far I trust you."

"Why, my dear Miss Evelina, that is indeed a great deal." Then, because he was a real gentleman, he acted as it was fit and proper for a gentleman to act on such an occasion.

A few hours later Miss Evelina waved to him from her window. As he walked along the street he murmured to himself: "Well, that's not so bad. I'll have some one to mend my clothes and make me comfortable, and talk to me. Come to think of it now, I do get dreadfully lonesome. And Evelina is a dear. It would have been hard, too, to part with Brutus. Strange I never thought of our marrying. Why, it's just the thing."

But the event had no such reaction on Miss Evelina. She took out the silk umbrella and hugged it.

He Should Worry.

Buddy was up before the disability board. The pompous alienist was asking him a long string of questions to determine his mental condition, and Buddy was rapidly getting disgusted.

"Quick," shouted the celebrated doc, "tell me this: How many legs has a lobster?"

Buddy looked at him crushingly before replying.

"For the luva Mike," he said, "is that all you got to worry about?"—The American Legion Weekly.

Late Telegraph News

Topeka, Kan., May 25.—Kansas will produce well over 100,000,000 bushels of wheat this year in the opinion of Edward Chambers, vice president of the Santa Fe, who passed through Kansas on an inspection trip over the company's lines in this state, Oklahoma, Colorado and Texas. Mr. Chambers who has charge of Santa Fe traffic, said immense crops are indicated in the southwest territory and that a majority of reports reaching his office placed the Kansas wheat yield anywhere from 100,000,000 to 130,000,000 bushels. Everywhere the outlook is favorable except in a few places in western Kansas and Oklahoma, where the fall rainfall was insufficient, he said.

So far as general conditions are concerned, he said, the Santa Fe is expecting heavy volume of business to continue throughout the year. Admitting that the company's facilities for handling the heavy traffic this fall will be seriously taxed, Mr. Chambers declared business men generally feel very kindly toward President Storey's suggestion of co-operation and that any shortage would be reduced to a minimum.

Hutchinson, Kan., May 25.—Kansas is having a hard time to keep down bank banditry it was indicated here when figures were presented before the annual convention of the Kansas Bankers Association to show that yeggs or holdup men had entered and looted more than sixty Kansas banks during the past year. The association has a standing reward of $5,000 for the death or conviction of a Kansas bank robber.

Revival At Good Hope

The revival meeting which began last Sunday at Good Hope, is being continued and the evangelist, the Rev. C. H. Window is a very strong man, preaching the pure gospel of love. His sermons this week have been above par and his subject for Sunday morning will be "The Golden Text of the Bible" and Sunday evening he will use for his subject "The Red Lights." Come, hear him all next week and as long as the meetings continue. Everybody invited.

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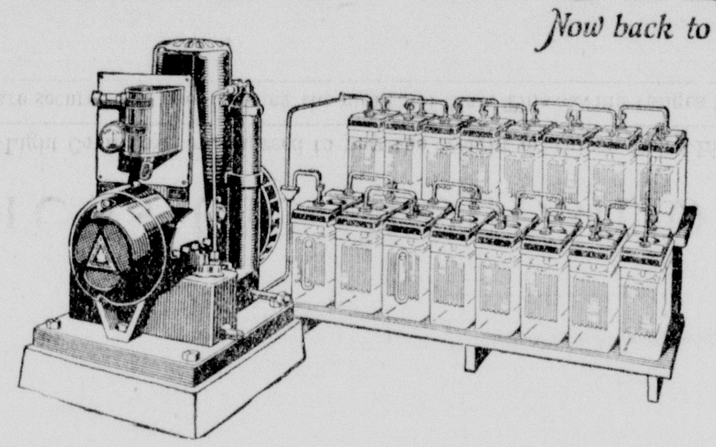

To The Rural Parents of Nodaway County

The tendency of the rural population to move cityward is becoming alarming. The United States has some of its best investigators working on the problem. The great Theodore Roosevelt appointed the Country Life Commission to look into the problem. They collected a mass of data, but came to no definite conclusions.

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